

Storm Hard On Live Stock.

Losses in Utah, Wyoming and Idaho Will Be Heavy—One Estimate Says That They Will Reach One-third, But That is Doubtless Too Gloomy a View—Corn and Hay in Great Demand—Where the Banks Come In.

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Wool and Cold Interrupt Wool Sales; 750,000 Pounds of the Utah Wool Clip Disposed Of.

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SECRET EVENING NEWS.

TRUTH AND LIBERTY

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Ministers Hold Secret Meeting

By Rising Vote They Endorse the Protest of the "Great Nineteen" and Decide to Send One of Their Number to Washington to Fight Smoot—Withhold Details.

Arnold & Company, J. J. Ryan & Company, International Investment Company, the Christy syndicate, St. Louis Turt syndicate, Drolaski Investment Company, Brokerage Firms—Clerge Commission Company, Brooks Brokerage and Commission Company, Donovan Commission Company, Thomas E. Price & Company, brokers; Radio Grain & Securities Company, Colonial Securities Company, Security Investment Company, National Securities Company, United Securities Company.

IDAHO IS LIBERAL.

Proposed to appropriate \$35,000 for Lewis and Clark Exposition. Boise, Feb. 16.—A bill was introduced in the house today appropriating \$35,000 for the Lewis and Clark exposition in Portland, Ore., and the St. Louis exposition. Five thousand of this is to be devoted to gathering exhibits for St. Louis. The remainder is to be equally divided between the two exhibitions. It is expected the legislature two years hence will increase the Portland appropriation.

CORTELYOU NAMED FOR SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

Washington, Feb. 16.—The president today sent the following nomination to the senate: Geo. B. Cortelyou, of New York to be secretary of commerce and labor.

BOLD HOLDUP IN CHICAGO.

Seven Men Robbed and Then Shot Up in an Ice Box. Chicago, Feb. 16.—Seven men were held up and robbed and then shot up in an ice box in a South State street saloon today and kept prisoners for half an hour while the robbers deliberately sampled liquors. There were six customers and the bartender in the saloon when three young men entered and compelled them to line up and submit to be searched. Attention was attracted to the high-spirited and noisy group of men.

TRAIN DERAILLED

Near Pittsburgh, Injuring Five Passengers, Killing None. Pittsburgh, Kan., Feb. 16.—Frisco local passenger train No. 157 northbound, was wrecked at the Girard & Joplin junction east of Pittsburgh last night. The train was derailed and five passengers were injured, none, it is believed, fatally.

The injured all of whom are from Pittsburgh, follow: James Bridges, back sprained and internally injured; Dr. J. W. Porter, knee dislocated; Harry Rousfield, member of national board of mine workers, leg broken and head cut; J. P. McNaughton, badly cut and bruised about head.

Santa Fe Wage Question Unsettled

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 16.—The wage question between the Santa Fe officials and trainmen is yet in an unsettled condition. A conference between the appointed committee will be held late this afternoon under the terms of the agreement to save their hides. Out of the trainmen will be presented. Indications point to a 15 per cent compromise rather than a strike.

Life Imprisonment for John Broish.
Cairo, Mich., Feb. 16.—John Broish, who shot and killed Leroy Lester, last week ago, after Lester had served an attachment on some machinery on Broish's farm, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to life imprisonment.

GAMBLING IN NEW YORK.

Trial of David W. Bucklin Postponed for a Week. New York, Feb. 16.—At the request of counsel for the defendant the trial of David W. Bucklin indicted on the charge of keeping a gambling house, was today adjourned for one week. Counsel for Edward Gersmann, the court to make an order that his client be examined by deposition that he might keep important engagements in Europe. Justice Herrick said he did not have time to make such an order.

ONLY USUAL LOSSES.
Mr. J. D. Wood of the Wood-Hagenbach Cattle company, which owns over a hundred thousand sheep and many thousands of head of cattle in Idaho, says, that thus far, they have met with only the usual small percentage of losses, which are always expected. In spite of the deep snows and the extraordinarily cold weather the sheep and cattle of this company are in good condition, and Mr. Wood attributes it to the fact that from his first few years' experience in the business he brought his stock to ranges in winter, which had open water, in addition to the fact that this company to lay in a good stock of feed every fall and to keep their sheep and cattle well fed which enables them to resist any unusual hard winter such as the present has been.

LOSSES ON THE SNAKE.
R. W. Farris, the well known engineer of Boise, is registered here. He says he is informed that the stockmen in the Snake River valley around Shoshone and Minidoka are meeting with considerable losses to their sheep and cattle, as a result of the unusually severe weather of the winter. No definite percentage can be given, but those who neglected to lay in feed and whose ranges are unprotected are that a considerable loss before spring comes.

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Italy's Balkan Policy.
Rome, Feb. 16.—The under secretary for foreign affairs informed the chamber of deputies today in reply to an inquiry that Italy's policy in the Balkan question was to prevent a modification of the status quo to the benefit of any power.

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The Ministerial association did not adjourn today's session until nearly 1 o'clock. The most of the time was occupied in talking over the senatorial situation, and the entire body of 26 clergymen present appeared to be of one heart and one mind, so that there was no division of sentiment, and the sentiment was that the Hon. Reed Smoot should not be admitted to the senate.

This was evidenced, when the chair put before the meeting the question whether or not the association would sustain the protest of the 19 citizens against the seating of Senator-elect Smoot, and instantly, as one man, the entire 26 members arose, visitors and all. The chair had no difficulty in declaring that the motion to sustain had passed.

Senator Smoot Leaves for Washington

This Evening Accompanied by James H. Anderson

Senator-elect Reed Smoot leaves for Washington, D. C., at 5:45 tonight. He will be accompanied by Hon. James H. Anderson, chairman of the Republican state committee, who takes a vacation for the purpose of visiting some of the principal cities of the east, among them Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, New York and probably Minneapolis, where Mr. Anderson has a number of relatives.

When asked this morning when he would return Senator Smoot stated that if a special session of Congress were held he would return during its deliberations; otherwise he would return the middle of March. The senator has no misgivings as to his being seated and doesn't seem to be worrying on that score at all. In fact, he is quite confident that the senate will take favorable action on his admission, the protest of the great 19 to the contrary notwithstanding.

When the United States protocol is signed Mr. Bowen will call in turn on the representatives of the other creditor nations, namely, the French ambassador, the Russian ambassador, the Danish, Holland, Belgian and Spanish ministers and the charge d'affaires of the legation of Norway and Sweden and proceed to draw up separate protocols with each, which shall contain all essential details to that of the United States.

FLOOD IN INDIANA.
Series One Threatened in Southern and Western Portion of State. Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 16.—Dispatches to the News say that a serious flood is threatened in southern and western Indiana. The heavy rains of Saturday and Sunday have caused the water to rise in the rivers and there is fear that one of the worst floods in years will occur in the vicinity of Vincennes.

Principal J. W. Brooks Released.
Chicago, Feb. 16.—James W. Brooks, principal of the Shields school, was released from custody today by Judge Brennan, on the ground that Judge Creighton of Springfield did not have jurisdiction in the case. Brooks has been in Sangamon county jail on an order of contempt issued by Judge Creighton. The effort to secure his freedom is an incident growing out of the fight between Brooks and his parents for the custody of Florence Brooks, the daughter of the principal.

Sp. Spalding Tames Mr. Carnegie.
New York, Feb. 16.—Addressing a gathering at Carnegie hall last night under the auspices of the St. Vincent De Paul society, Bishop John Lancaster Spalding of Peoria, Ill., who was prominently mentioned as a possible successor of the late Archbishop Corrigan, received great applause when he declared that great wealth is almost certain to degrade the possessor of it and that all the men who are known to reckon the possessions in the millions he named only one—Andrew Carnegie—as a man able to rise above his surroundings.

Lower House of Congress.
Washington, Feb. 16.—When the house met today Mr. Kern of Illinois, attempted as a privileged matter, to call up a resolution calling upon the secretary of the interior to investigate the alleged frauds of the East St. Louis Bridge and Construction company had formed a pool with a competitive corporation and report to Congress. The speaker ruled that the resolution was not privileged.

Senate Doing.
Washington, Feb. 16.—Soon after the senate met today the District of Columbia appropriation bill was sent to conference. Mr. Allison of Iowa, Quay of Pennsylvania and Cocke of Missouri, being named as conferees.

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The action of the association will be voted to Washington tomorrow and if the committee on privileges and elections of the senate desires it, the Salt Lake Ministerial association will send on a representative to help in the arguments to be made before the committee. So much interest was taken in this matter, that the reading of the regular paper was omitted, that the time might be given to talking over the products of the coming hearing before the senatorial committee, and what might be done to checkmate any efforts likely to be made in the interest of the senator.

There was not an overpowering desire manifested to furnish the "News" with further information regarding the morning's meeting; and the secretary was in a peculiar hurry to catch a certain car. Rev. Dr. Paden and Rev. Richard Wake, however, gave the "News" reporter "such information as was to be given out for publication."

Wm. Cossitt Cone Assigns.

New York, Feb. 16.—William Cossitt Cone, stock broker, trading under the name of Wm. Cossitt Cone & Co., today assigned for the benefit of creditors. The firm's business was done on the consolidated exchange. Cone's assets include a residence in New York, a car, and a number of other personal effects. The assignment was made to the trustee of the consolidated exchange.

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Isaac Goff of West Jordan Dies at the Age of 90 Years. Isaac Goff, one of the oldest residents of the state, died at his home in West Jordan, Sunday, Feb. 15, at the advanced age of 90 years, 7 months and 14 days. Deceased was a native of England, having been born at Longwharton, Leicestershire, July 1, 1812, from which section he moved to Nottingham in 1838. He came to Utah in 1863, settling at West Jordan, where he has resided ever since. He survived his wife, Mary Ann Goff, three years, two months and 15 days, and leaves to mourn his departure three sons and two daughters—Isaac, Jr., Hyrum, Jedediah and Emma Naylor, all of West Jordan, and Sarah Bricker, a resident of Salt Lake City. He leaves many grand and great-grandchildren and also several great-great-grandchildren. Elder Goff has been a faithful member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints for 54 years, and died in full faith of the Gospel and in the hope of a glorious resurrection.

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asked unanimous consent for a separate vote upon it.

Mr. Wagner, however, objected. Mr. Grovernor of Ohio, explained that a misunderstanding existed among the members of labor organizations relative to the parliamentary status of this bill. It had never been, he said, forwarded to the committee on rules. Speaking to the merits of the bill, he said that many of the labor organizations strongly opposed the amendment proposed by Mr. Ryan but they preferred to have the bill with this amendment in it than to have it fail.

Mr. Dalzell here out what Mr. Grovernor had said relative to the bill and the committee on rules. In his whole legislative experience, he said, he had never been so beset by telegrams, petitions and resolutions relative to a measure and yet the bill had never been before the rules committee.

Resulted in a Draw.

Monte Carlo, Feb. 16.—In the fourth round of the international chess tournament played on Saturday the contest between Teichemann and Maroczy resulted in a draw.

Sunday Baseball Dead.

Indianapolis, Feb. 16.—Sunday baseball received its death blow in the legislature today. The committee reported favorably to the senate the bill repealing the law which prohibits professional Sunday baseball in the state. The senate non-concurred in their report. Last week the senate killed the bill permitting the game in all cities of over 15,000 inhabitants.

Edwin Perkins Clark Dead.

New York, Feb. 16.—Edwin Perkins Clark, 18 years a member of the editorial staff of the Evening Post, died at his home in Brooklyn today. He was born in Huntington, Mass., in 1845. His first newspaper work was done in the office of the Springfield Republican. He was a close student of political history and had a minute acquaintance with the politics of the day.

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Poison, Death And Dishonor.

Ex-Senator Brown Now Asks for Divorce From His Wife
And Makes Many Startling and Sensational Charges
—Declares That She Has Attempted His Life: That She is a Common Scold and a Thief.

A Great Blow to Brown's Political Ambitions; Caused Him Much Sorrow and Humiliation.

Among the many charges that ex-Senator Brown alleges against his wife, is persistent persecution and false statements regarding his mode of life. He declares that she has been extremely cruel to him; that she has jested and jibed and insulted him for a long time; that she has shamelessly claimed that he was as crazy as a loon and has tried to have him sent to the insane asylum; that she has shamelessly reported that he had fallen from the pedestal of manhood and integrity that he had been rearing for more than a generation; that he would die in the gutter a common drunkard; that she has had him arrested and persecuted and prosecuted on false and malicious charges; that she has attempted to murder him and that she has said she could do so without any conscientious scruples; that she has hired the public press to malign him; that collectively the charges have prevented him from succeeding himself as United States senator or gratifying any political ambition, a fact that has caused him much sorrow and humiliation.

Being unsuccessful in his attempts to force Mrs. Brown to secure a divorce from him, ex-Senator Arthur Brown has decided to take steps to secure a legal separation from his wife, and to that end he has filed an answer to the complaint filed against him by Mrs. Brown and a cross-complaint in which he asks that he be granted a decree of divorce on the grounds of cruelty. In the cross-complaint many sensational charges are made against Mrs. Brown, among them being that she has threatened on several occasions to poison her husband and that she has persecuted him in the late criminal actions which she caused to be filed against him.

CRUELTY, INSULTS, POISON.
The acts of cruelty complained of by the senator, are the constant fault-finding of his wife and continuous insult for a number of years, mingled with threats to injure him bodily and physically. During the month of September, 1901, it is alleged that Mrs. Brown did threaten and say that she could poison him without the least compunction of conscience, and that the only reason she lived with him was "to get what little money he had—for he wouldn't live long." In April, 1902, she said that she had often felt like poisoning him and could do it without the least regret, but she did not want to be punished for such a thing.

SAYS HIS WIFE STEALS.
It is alleged that in June, 1902, Mrs. Brown went into the senator's room and carried away, stole and disposed of furniture and personal property consisting of a couch, wardrobe, etc., and various articles of clothing. At various times during the past three months, the senator alleges that his wife has entered his chambers, and stolen various articles of wearing apparel and other personal property belonging to him. He alleges that Mrs. Brown is very vindictive in the government of her passions and often gives vent to the most abusive language and applies the vilest epithets to him.

CRAZY AS A LOON.
He charges that in August, 1902, she wrote a letter to her son Max, who is attending school in Michigan, saying that defendant was "crazy as a loon," and charging him with being a drunkard and having lost all his manhood, and also the respect of all his friends and the community in general.

DEATH IN THE GUTTER.
On another occasion she charged him with being a "scoundrel" and predicted that he would die in the gutter in a short time. By reason of the aforesaid acts the senator claims that his wife has injured his business standing, which has been acquired by a practice of his profession in Utah for 23 years, and has caused him much sorrow and humiliation.

ORDERED TO SHOW CAUSE.
Judge Hall this morning issued another order to show cause against Senator Brown, charging him to appear on Friday, Feb. 27, and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court for refusing to pay his wife the second monthly installment of alimony of \$150, which was due, on Jan. 25. The court heretofore ordered Brown to pay his wife \$150 per month temporary alimony on the 25th day of each month until further order of the court. The last payment he refused to meet, so another order to show cause was resorted to.

SAVED BY STREET CAR FENDER.
New Device Prevents the Death of Orson L. A. Houghton, a Mail Carrier, Who is Picked Up, Bag and All, Without Being Badly Hurt—Was a Narrow Escape.

This morning the pedestrians on East Temple street in the vicinity of the Kenyon were given a practical demonstration of the workings of the street car fender. Orson L. A. Houghton, of 7 south Washington avenue, a mail carrier, also had a practical demonstration, with himself as a star feature. When it was all over Houghton was unhurt, while the Consolidated Railway & Power company probably saved a \$500 damage suit and at the same time more than paid the cost of installing the new fenders twice over.

The mail carrier on the fast expresses picked up the mail bags with accuracy and neatness while going at full speed. Street car No. 66, on the Warm Springs line going south, was not going at full speed, but that feat and picked up the mail carrier, mail bag and all. One individual who saw the accident jocularly stated that he was going to invent a lever attachment whereby the next man that got caught could be thrown upon the platform so that the conductor could collect the nickel.

The accident happened at about 9 a. m. Houghton was crossing the street, and as is usual in such cases, stepped from behind a car immediately in front of another going in the opposite direction. Before the motor man could construct heart failure or throw on all the air and send he had in reserve, the car and Houghton met. The mail carrier went down promptly for the count. The light guard bent under the force of the impact thereby automatically releasing the guard immediately behind it, which dropped to the ground and picked up the defendant, who lay without registering an error. It was a fine catch and the horror of the spectators changed to broad smiles when it was seen that Houghton was practically unhurt, although somewhat roughly handled.

The only damage done was the bending of the fender on the car, but it can be asserted that Houghton will have no law suit entered against him on that account.